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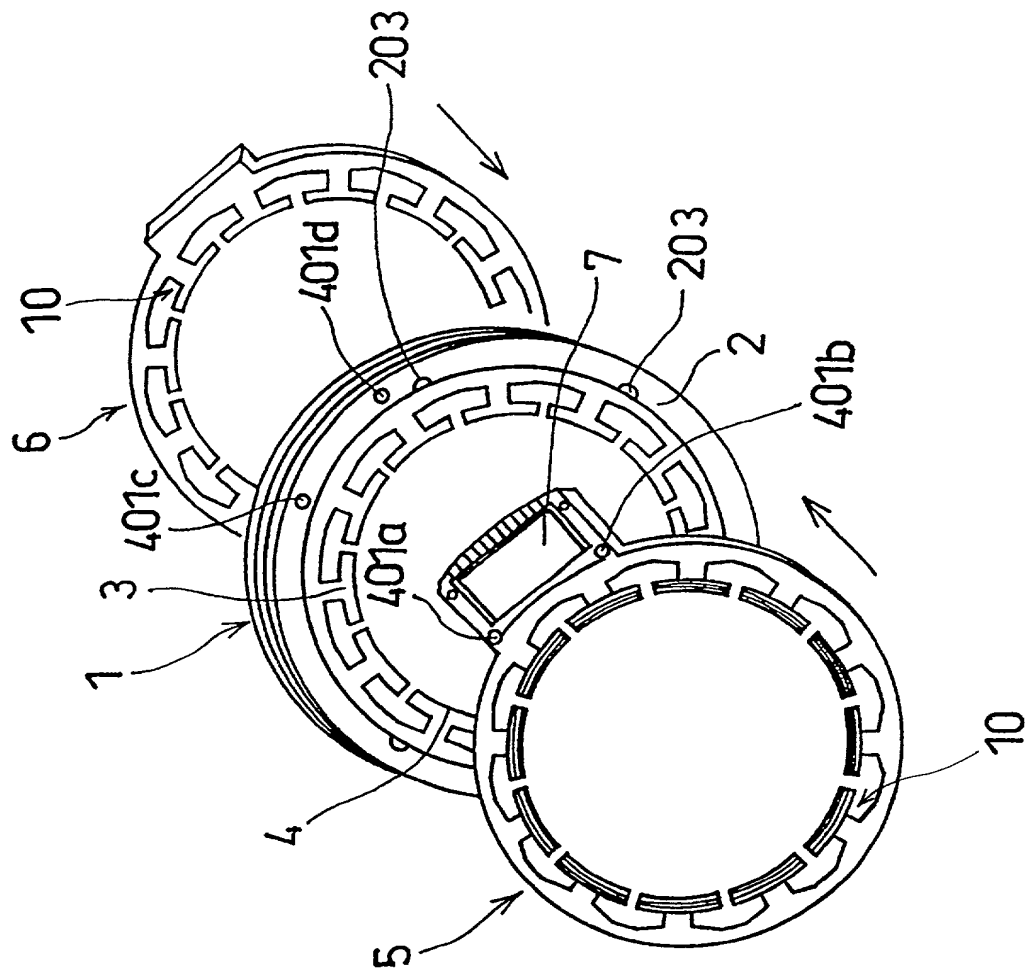


Fig. 2

Fig. 2 is a cross-sectional view of a circular device, such as a ring, showing a central opening. The device includes a central core (1) and an outer ring (20). The outer ring (20) is composed of a plurality of segments (201) separated by gaps (203). A central core (1) is located within the central opening. A central core (4) is also shown. A central core (7) is also shown. A central core (204) is also shown. A central core (400) is also shown. A central core (N) is also shown. A central core (M) is also shown.

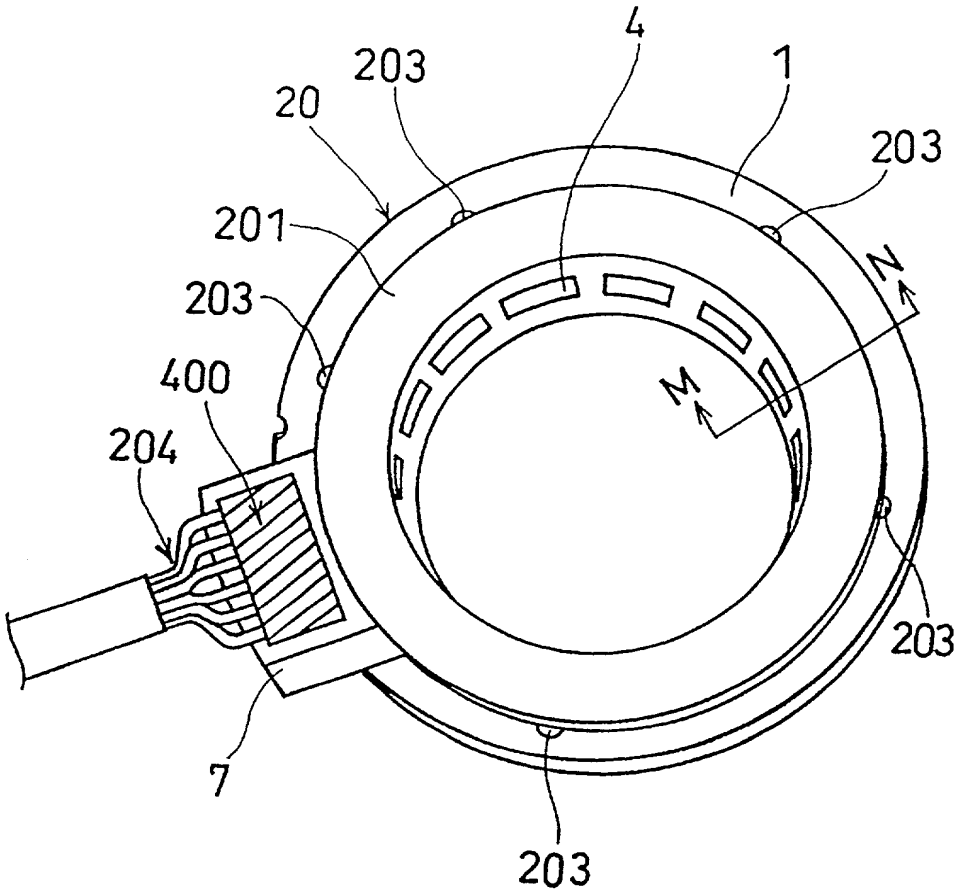


Fig. 3C

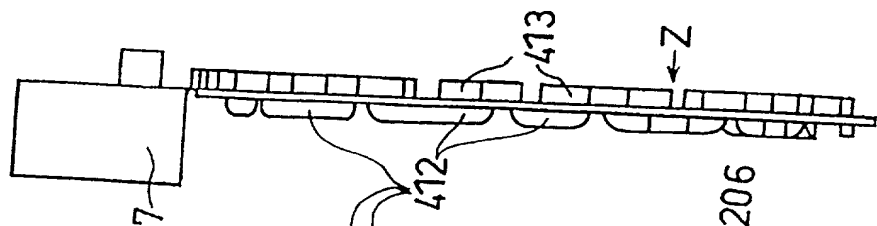


Fig. 3B

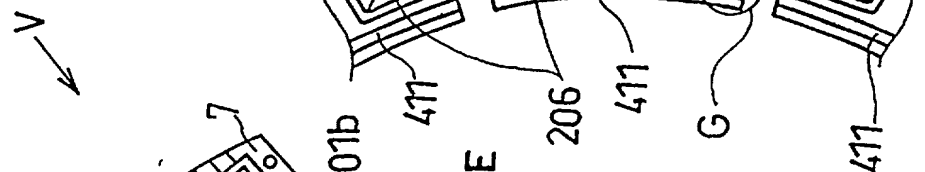


Fig. 3A

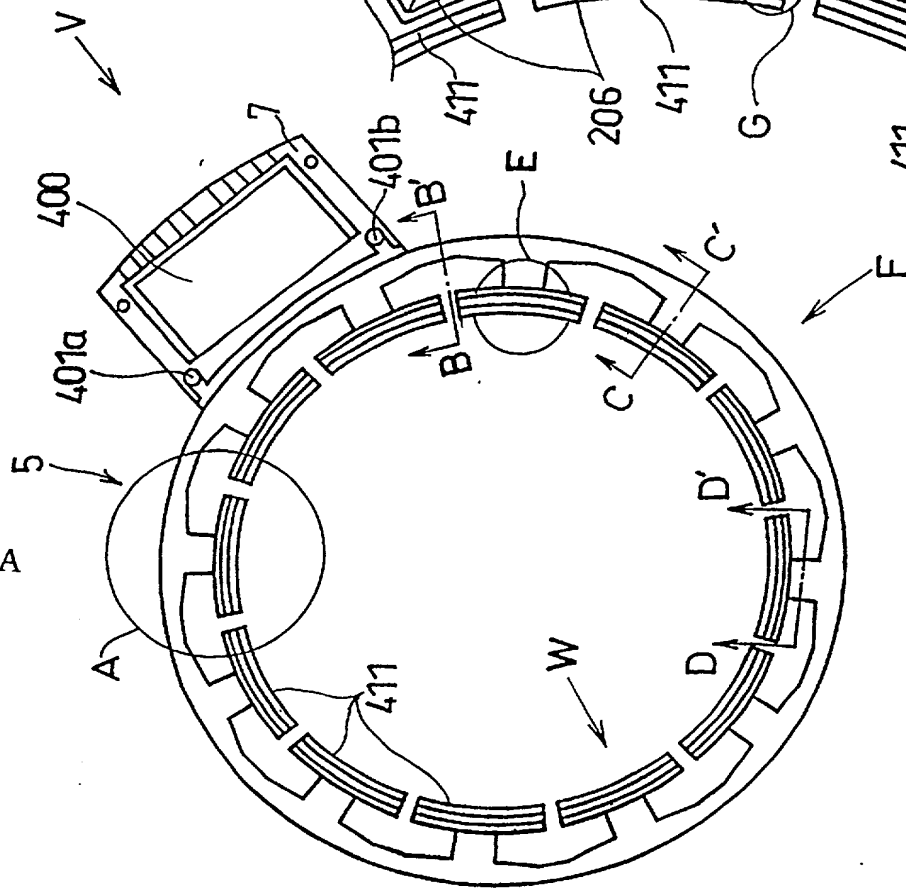


Fig. 4A

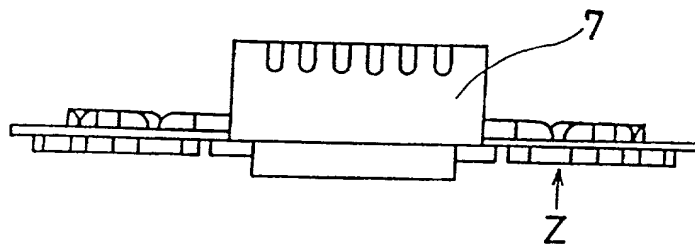


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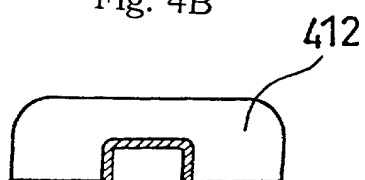


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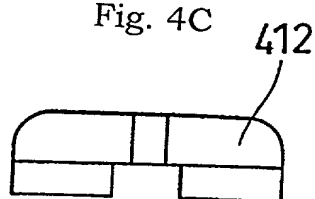


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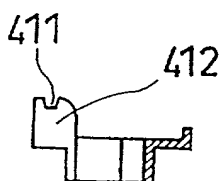


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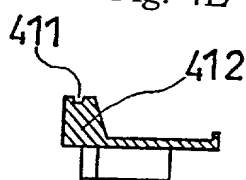


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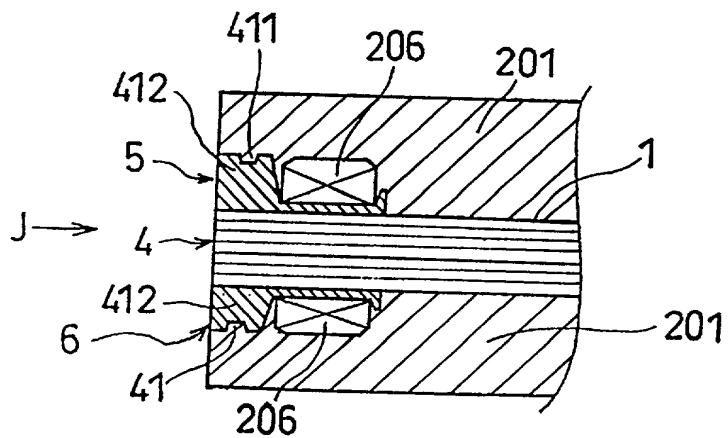


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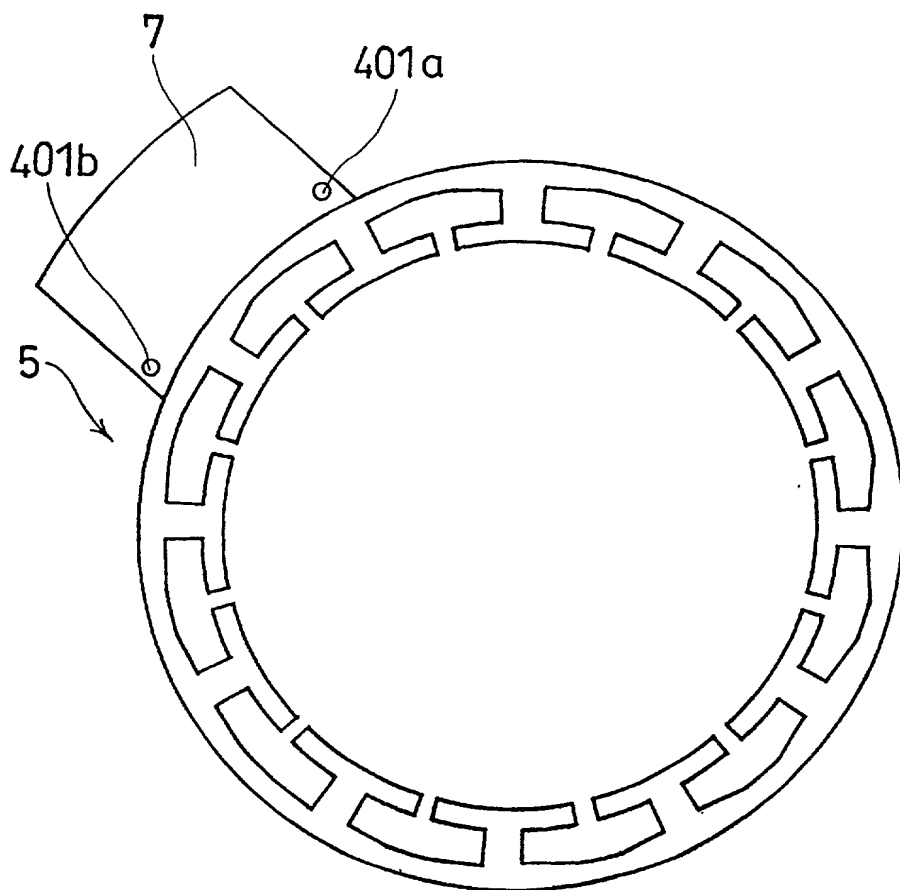


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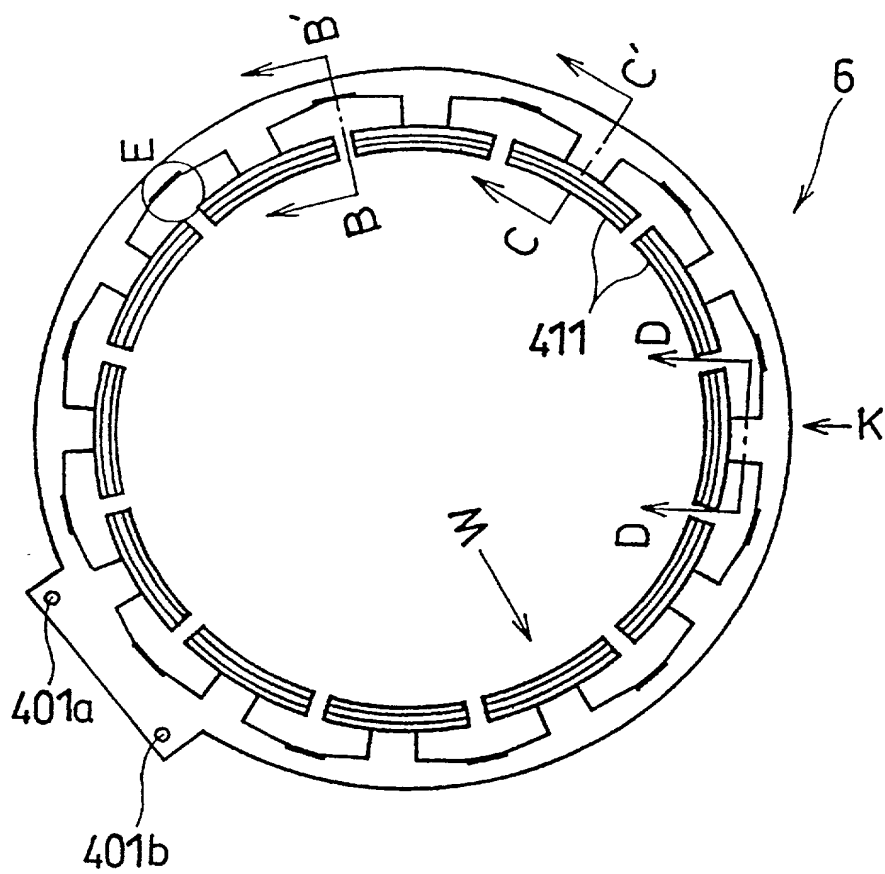


Fig. 7A

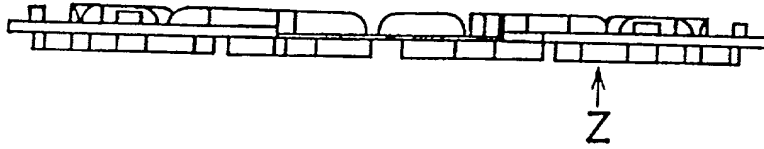


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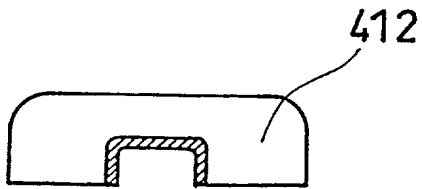


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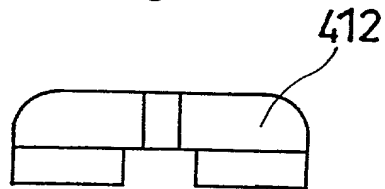


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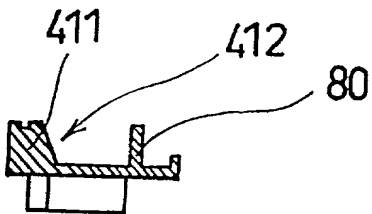


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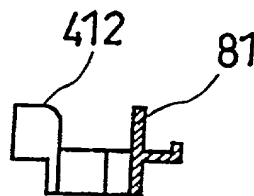


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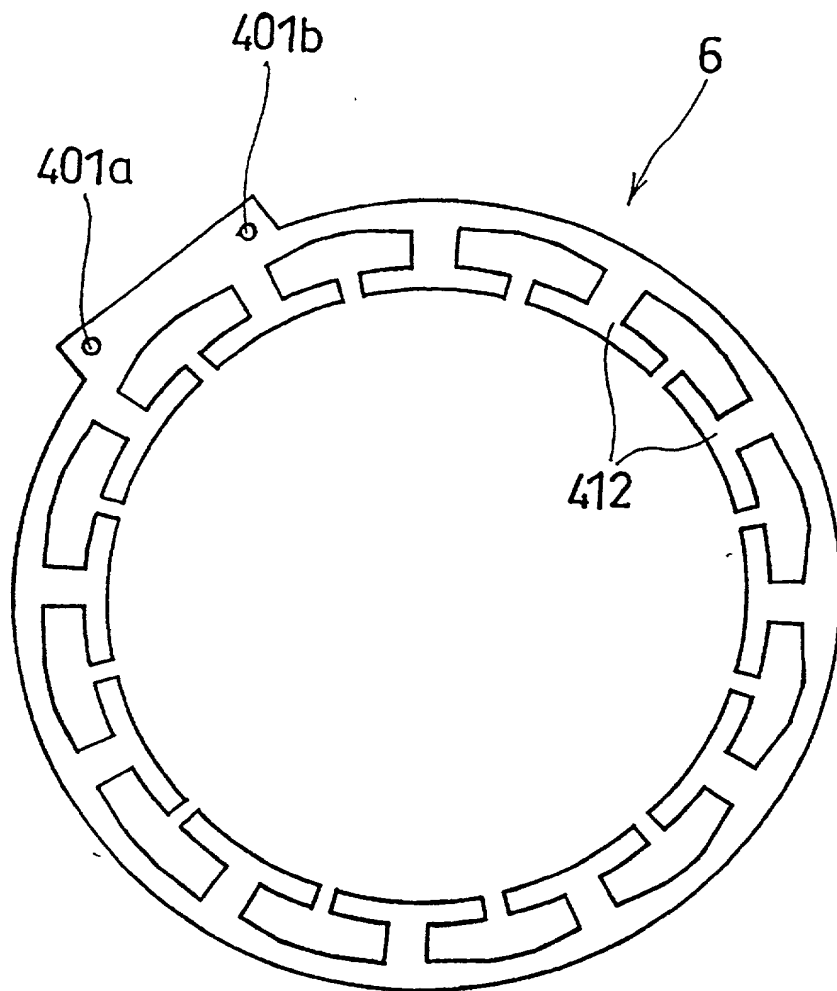




Fig. 9

